
By: **Delegate Weir**

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Assigned to: Environmental Matters

A BILL ENTITLED

1 AN ACT concerning

2 **Commercial Crabbing - Restricted Days**

3 FOR the purpose of prohibiting a person authorized to catch crabs for commercial
4 purposes from catching or attempting to catch crabs for commercial purposes in
5 certain areas on certain days of the week.

6 BY adding to

7 Article - Natural Resources

8 Section 4-808.1

9 Annotated Code of Maryland

10 (2000 Replacement Volume)

11 SECTION 1. BE IT ENACTED BY THE GENERAL ASSEMBLY OF
12 MARYLAND, That the Laws of Maryland read as follows:

13 **Article - Natural Resources**

14 4-808.1.

15 (A) BELOW A LINE DRAWN FROM NORTH POINT, AT THE NORTHERN POINT OF
16 THE PATAPSCO RIVER, TO WORTON POINT, A PERSON AUTHORIZED TO CATCH CRABS
17 FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES MAY NOT CATCH OR ATTEMPT TO CATCH CRABS FOR
18 COMMERCIAL PURPOSES ON SUNDAYS.

19 (B) ABOVE A LINE DRAWN FROM NORTH POINT, AT THE NORTHERN POINT OF
20 THE PATAPSCO RIVER, TO WORTON POINT, A PERSON AUTHORIZED TO CATCH CRABS
21 FOR COMMERCIAL PURPOSES MAY NOT CATCH OR ATTEMPT TO CATCH CRABS FOR
22 COMMERCIAL PURPOSES ON MONDAYS.

23 SECTION 2. AND BE IT FURTHER ENACTED, That this Act shall take effect
24 October 1, 2001.